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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

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- Copy of the International Search Report
- Oath or Declaration
- Preliminary Amendments

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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DEVICE FOR A RAIL VEHICLE

Attorney Docket No. 198/40109/469

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS  
OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION (Filing Date Granted)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
Attention: BOX MISSING PARTS

Dear Sir:

The above-noted application was filed under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53, and in conjunction therewith a Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) issued on May 10, 2002.

In response to the aforementioned Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US), please find enclosed herewith the following:

- a. An executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application duly executed by the inventor, Paul Andrew Horsfall; and
- b. A copy of the aforementioned Notice of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US).

The Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) did not specify that a fee was due for the filing of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. If such a fee is due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such a fee to the Deposit Account of the undersigned firm, Deposit Account No. 20-1495. A duplicate copy of this paper is provided.

It is believed that the enclosed material responds fully to the aforementioned Notice and if any additional information is needed, please contact the undersigned at (312) 704-1890.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 5, 2002

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